

**PUBLIC NOTICE
ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
30-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

**NOTICE OF THE AVAILABILITY OF THE PROPOSED REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN
(PRAP) FOR THE TONTO AND CHERRY WATER QUALITY ASSURANCE
REVOLVING FUND (WQARF) REGISTRY SITE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has completed the proposed remedial action plan (PRAP) for the Tonto and Cherry WQARF Site in Payson, Arizona [A.A.C. R18-16-408(C)]. A PRAP documents the results of the remedial investigation and feasibility study and identifies the proposed remedy and its estimated costs.

The proposed remedy for the Tonto and Cherry WQARF Site is continued monitored natural attenuation (MNA). MNA is already occurring and is clearly effective. MNA is the preferred remedial option at this time. The estimated cost for the proposed remedy is \$ 232,717 over 10 years. ADEQ and the Arizona Attorney Generals Office have determined that cost recovery is not an appropriate option and therefore cleanup costs will be paid by the state.

A public meeting to open the comment period on the PRAP for the Tonto and Cherry WQARF Site is scheduled for Tuesday, July 15, 2008 at 6 p.m. at the Community Development Building, located at 303 N. Beeline Highway, Payson, Arizona 85541. A copy of the PRAP will be available for review at the Payson Public Library (328 N. McLane Road, Payson, Arizona 85541).

PARTIES WISHING TO MAKE COMMENTS regarding the PRAP for this site may make such comments in writing to ADEQ, Attention: Danita Hardy, ADEQ Project Manager, 1110 West Washington Street, 4415B-1 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 and reference this listing. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact Wendy Flood, ADEQ Community Involvement Coordinator, at (602) 771-4410, or toll free in Arizona at (800) 234-5677. TDD: (602) 771-4829.

Comments must be postmarked to ADEQ by July 23, 2008.

Dated this 24 day of June 2008
Danita Hardy, Project Manager
Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

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